

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1-21 and 23-34 to read as follows:

1. (Amended) A method of establishing a binaural communication link between two hearing devices at an individual by at least two electronic conductors, comprising the steps of establishing one conductor by the individual's body and at least one second conductor by a wire.
1. 2. (Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising bi-directionally transmitting electrical signals between said hearing devices.
1. 2. 3. (Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising transmitting at least one of control signals and of audio signals via said communication link.
1. 2. 4. (Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising providing an electronic unit communicating by said link with said devices.
1. 2. 5. (Amended) The method of claim 4, wherein said unit comprising a receiver/transmitter-unit for wireless communication and establishing communication.
1. 2. 6. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein one of said two hearing devices being a master and the second of said hearing devices a slave.
1. 2. 7. (Amended) The method of claim 5, further comprising providing said transmitter-/receiver unit between said two hearing devices.

1           8. (Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising applying said wire to  
2           at least one of said hearing devices by magnetic attraction.

1           9. (Amended) The method of claim 8, further comprising establishing by said  
2           magnetic attraction an electric conduction contact of said wire to an input tab of said at  
3           least one hearing device.

1           10. (Amended) The method of claim 9, further comprising establishing said  
2           conduction contact by at least one of a magnetic and of a ferromagnetic member.

1           11. (Amended) The method of claim 9, further comprising establishing said  
2           conduction contact with at least one of a non-magnetic metal contact member, a  
3           conductive polymer contact member.

1           12. (Amended) The method of claim 8, further comprising establishing by said  
2           magnetic attraction a capacitive electric contact of said wire to an input of said at least  
3           one hearing device.

1           13. (Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising establishing electric  
2           contact to said individual's body from said devices by a conduction body electrode  
3           comprising at least one of a metallic and of a conductive polymer body electrode.

1           14. (Amended) The method of claim 1, characterized by establishing electric

2 contact to said individual's body by a series capacitance electrode from said hearing  
3 devices.

1 15. (Amended) The method of claim 8, further comprising establishing a  
2 predetermined relative positioning of a contact area at said wire and a contact area at said  
3 at least one hearing device, by said magnetic attraction.

1 16. (Amended) The method of claim 8, further comprising enabling or disabling  
2 applying said wire to one of said two hearing devices by appropriately selecting magnetic  
3 polarities of respective magnetic arrangements at said at least one hearing device and said  
4 wire.

1 17. (Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising providing an  
2 electronic unit interconnected between said two hearing devices by said communication  
3 link and providing at said electronic unit an electrode to said individual's body  
4 comprising one of a conduction body electrode, preferably of at least one of a metal and  
5 of a conductive polymer and of a capacitive body electrode.

1 18. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said hearing devices being one  
2 of in-the-ear and of outside-the-ear hearing devices.

1 19. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said hearing devices being  
2 therapeutical hearing aid devices.

1                   20. (Amended) The method of further comprising integrating said  
2                   communication link into a head-worn assembly, preferably into glasses.

1                   21. (Amended) The method of claim 20, further comprising establishing electric  
2                   connection of said wire to at least one of said hearing devices by putting on said glasses.

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1                   23. (Amended) The set of claim 22, wherein said communication link comprising  
2                   at least one single wire.

1                   24. (Amended) The set of claim 22, wherein said communication link comprising  
2                   an electronic unit and two single wires respectively connectable to said hearing devices  
3                   on one side and to said electronic unit on the other side.

1                   25. (Amended) The set of claim 24, wherein said electronic unit comprising a  
2                   wireless transmitter-/receiver-unit operationally connected to contact areas for said two  
3                   wires.

1                   26. (Amended) The set of claim 23, further comprising a magnetic connection  
2                   arrangement between at least one end of said wire and at least one of said two hearing  
3                   devices.

1                   27. (Amended) The set of claim 26, wherein said magnetic connection further  
2                   comprising conductive contact members at said hearing device and at said one end  
3                   respectively for establishing mutual galvanic contact between said wire and said hearing

4 device.

1 28. (Amended) The set of claim 27, wherein at least one of said conductive  
2 members comprising a magnet or being made of ferromagnetic metal.

1 29. (Amended) The set of claim 27, wherein at least one of said conductive  
2 members comprising at least one of non-magnetic metal and of conductive polymer.

1 30. (Amended) The set of claim 26, wherein said magnetic connection  
2 comprising a series capacitance, established by establishing said magnetic connection.

1 31. (Amended) The set of claim 22, wherein said body electrode being a  
2 conductive plate or a conductive plate covered with a dielectric material.

1 32. (Amended) The set of claim 23, wherein said wire being integrated into a  
2 head-worn assembly.

1 33. (Amended) The set of claim 22, wherein said hearing devices being in-the-ear  
2 or outside-the-ear hearing devices.

1 34. (Amended) The set claim 22, wherein said hearing devices being hearing air  
2 devices.